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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

1-53-51

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant has filed herewith a Continuing Prosecution

Application (CPA) and requests entry of the amendment filed in

response to the Office Action dated March 24, 1997. In further

response to that action, and prior to initiation of further

prosecution under this CPA, kindly amend the application as

follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Kindly AMEND claims 1, (4, 5, 8) and 17 as follows: